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Appln. No. 10/589,120  
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Group Art Unit: 3644

Dear Sir:

We are enclosing herewith copies of the corrected filing receipt, executed Declaration and Application Data Sheet for the above-identified patent application.

Please note that the CITY for the second-named Applicant, Bodo Zapf, should read --**Buecken**--, not "Bucken." On the executed Declaration and Application Data Sheet, the city is listed as "Bücken." Since it cannot be listed this way on the filing receipt, please substitute the "ü" with "ue."

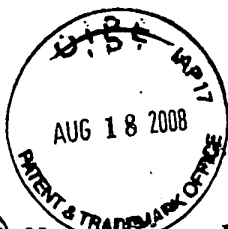
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**Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant**

This application is a 371 of PCT/EP05/01391 02/11/2005  
which claims benefit of 60/606,646 09/02/2004

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Landing Flap Guide for Aircraft

**Preliminary Class**

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PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 1.63)**

☐ Declaration Submitted with Initial Filing  
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Attorney Docket Number	AIRBUS 3.3-100
First Named Inventor	Rainer Gartelmann
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	Not Yet Assigned
Filing Date	Concurrently Herewith
Group Art Unit	N/A
Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am an original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

LANDING FLAP GUIDE FOR AIRCRAFT

(Title of the invention)

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☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 02/11/2005 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application No. PCT/EP2005/001391 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

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Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached?	
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## Application Data Sheet

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Subject Matter::	Utility
Suggested Group Art Unit::	N/A
CD-ROM or CD-R?::	None
Sequence submission?::	None
Computer Readable Form (CRF)?::	No
Title::	LANDING FLAP GUIDE FOR AIRCRAFT
Attorney Docket Number::	AIRBUS 3.3-100
Request for Early Publication?::	No
Request for Non-Publication?::	No
Suggested Drawing Figure::	1
Total Drawing Sheets::	2
Small Entity?::	No
Petition included?::	No
Secrecy Order in Parent Appl.?::	No

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